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PROCLAMATION

For Apprehending Captain *John Morray.*

ANNE by the Grace of GOD Queen of Great *Britain*, *France* and *Ireland*, Defender of the Faith; To Our Lyon King at Arms, and his Brethren, Heraulds, Macers of Our Privy Council, Purſevants, Meſſengers at Arms, Our Sherriffs in that part Conjunctly and Severally ſpecially conſtitute Greeting; *Foraſmuchas*, by ſome Diſcoveries lately made of the evil Deſigns that were carrying on by Emiſſaries from *France*, to the prejudice of Us and Our Government, We underſtand that Captain *John Morray* Son to the Laird of *Abercarnie*, was deeply concerned, with others, in the ſaids Treaſonable Practices, and that he is Abſconded, and may be lurking within this Kingdom; *Therefore*, We, with Advice of the Lords of Our Privy Council, Do hereby ſtrictly require all Magiſtrats, Officers and Souldiers, and Our haill other Leidges, to do their outmoſt Endeavour and Diligence, to apprehend the ſaid Captain *John Morray*, and commit him Priſoner to the next ſure Priſon, and make Report of his being apprehended to the Lords of Our Privy Council: And we hereby Indemnify any preſon from the hazard of Mutilation, Slaughter, or any other Acts of Violence, which they may commit againſt the ſaid Captain *John Morray*, or any perſons with him, in caſe of Reſiſtance made by him or them in apprehending of him; And declares the Apprehenders free from any puniſhment they might be obnoxious to for the Cauſes foreſaid. And for the further Encouragement of all Our Leidges to this Service, We, with Advice of the Lords of Our Privy Council, do promiſe and aſſure, The Sum of Five Hundred Pound *Starling*, to be payed as a Reward by the Lords of our Theſaurie immediatly, to ſuch Perſon or Perſons who ſhall take and apprehend the ſaid Captain *John Morray*, and commit him to the next ſure Priſon, and Report the ſame as above; Diſcharging hereby any of our Leidges to Shelter, Harbour, or any ways Aſſiſt or Supply the ſaid Captain *John Morray*, upon their Higheſt Perril. OUR WILL IS HEREFORE, And We Charge you Strictly and Command, That Incontinent thir our Letters ſeen, ye paſs to the Mercat Croſs of *Edinburgh*, and to the Remanent Mercat Croſſes of the Head burghs of the ſeveral Shyres and Stewartries within this Our Ancient Kingdom; And there in Our Name and Authority, make publick Intimation hereof, that none may pretend Ignorance; And ordains theſe Preſents to be Printed and Publiſhed.

Given under Our Signet at Edinburgh *the Twenty Sixth day of* February, *and of Our Reign the ſecond Year*, 1704.

Per Actum Dominorum Secreti Concilii,
GILB. ELIOT, *Cls. Sti. Concilii.*

GOD Save the Queen.

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